



**MAIL STOP
AMENDMENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: D.N. Rudo Attorney Docket No.: RUDO121677
Application No.: 10/656,088 Art Unit: 1714 / Confirmation No.: 9931
Filed: September 5, 2003 Examiner: T.H. Yoon
Title: TRIAXIAL WEAVE FOR REINFORCING DENTAL RESINS

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER/
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

September 19, 2006

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	26	-	26	=	0	x	50	=	0
Independent Claims	2	-	3	=	0	x	200	=	0
TOTAL									\$0

B. Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant respectfully requests that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated May 9, 2006, set to expire on August 9, 2006, be extended by 2 months, to expire on October 9, 2006. The enclosed check includes the 2-month extension fee of \$225.

C. Fees Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. 172265 in the amount of \$225 to cover the request for extension of time.

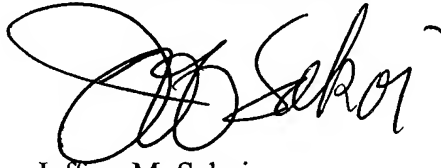
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D. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first-class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the below date.

Date: September 19, 2006 Debbie L. Whitney

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